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For: ILLUMINATING OPTICAL UNIT IN IMAGE
DISPLAY UNIT AND IMAGE DISPLAY UNIT

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.312
AFTER ALLOWANCE AND BEFORE PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE**

MS Issue Fee
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Subsequent to the Notice of Allowance of November 10, 2004, but before payment of the issue fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specifications begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begins on page 3 of this paper.

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